

1 **HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 105**

2 (By Delegates Guthrie, Perdue, Marshall, Poore, L. Phillips,
3 Reynolds, D. Poling, Iaquina, Craig and Skaff)
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6 Requesting the Joint Committee on Government and Finance study the
7 necessity of hiring additional fraud investigators for the
8 Department of Health and Human Resources and the Medicaid
9 Fraud Control Unit and where those investigators should be
10 located.

11 WHEREAS, The Legislature desires to provide the citizens of
12 this state with cost controls and reviews of tax expenditures; and

13 WHEREAS, A need exists to analyze the benefits of having
14 additional fraud investigators within the Office of Inspector
15 General for the purpose of conducting and supervising
16 investigations for the programs of the Department of Health and
17 Human Resources and the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit; and

18 WHEREAS, A need exists to determine where those fraud
19 investigators should be located and how many investigators should
20 be assigned to each location; and

21 WHEREAS, The Legislature needs to examine the effect of
22 additional fraud investigators at different locations, taxpayer
23 spending and potential taxpayer savings; therefore, be it

24 *Resolved by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

25 That the Joint Committee on Government and Finance is hereby

1 requested to study the necessity of hiring additional fraud
2 investigators for the Department of Health and Human Resources and
3 the Medicaid Fraud Control Unit and where those investigators
4 should be located; and, be it

5 *Further Resolved*, That the Joint Committee on Government and
6 Finance report to the regular session of the Legislature, 2014, on
7 its findings, conclusions and recommendations, together with drafts
8 of any legislation necessary to effectuate its recommendations;
9 and, be it

10 *Further Resolved*, That the expenses necessary to conduct this
11 study, to prepare a report and to draft necessary legislation be
12 paid from legislative appropriations to the Joint Committee on
13 Government and Finance.